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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Utility for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

1194-176

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Title Collagen Tubes for Nerve Regeneration

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
3. ☒ Specification Total pages [ 10 ]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross references to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings
  - Detailed Description
  - Claims
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets) [1]
- ☒ Unexecuted Declaration (Total Pages) [2]
  - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application  
(37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)

**[Note Box 5 below]**

  - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application,
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet.

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Box Patent Application  
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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii. ☐ paper
  - c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  
(when there is an assignee)
  - ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement /PTO 1449
  - ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s).
16. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
17. ☐ Other:


17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below or in an application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76::

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.:

Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group/Art Unit \_\_\_\_\_

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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| <b>FEE TRANSMITTAL<br/>for FY 2001<br/>(Large Entity)</b> |         | Complete if Known      |                 |
|   |         | Application Number     | New Application |
|   |         | Filing Date            | June 21, 2001   |
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**METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)**

1. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-2135 in the name of Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck
- ☐ Charge any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status
- ☐ Payment Enclosed
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**FEE CALCULATION**
**FILING FEE**

| Fee Code | Fee \$ | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|----------|--------|------------------------|----------|
| 101      | 710    | Utility filing fee     | [ 710 ]  |
| 106      | 320    | Design Filing Fee      | [ ]      |
| 107      | 490    | Plant Filing Fee       | [ ]      |
| 108      | 710    | Reissue Filing Fee     | [ ]      |
| 114      | 150    | Provisional Filing Fee | [ ]      |

**SUBTOTAL \$710**
**CLAIMS**

| Paid                                     | Extra Claims | Fee    | Fee    |
|--|--------------|--------|--------|
| Total Claims [ 21 ] - 20** = [ 1 ] x     |              | \$18 = | [ 18 ] |
| Independent Claims [ 2 ] - 3** = [ 0 ] x |              | 80 =   | [ 0 ]  |
| Multiple Dependent Claims +              |              | 270 =  | [ 0 ]  |

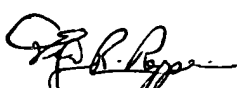
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**FEE CALCULATION (continued)**
**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

| Fee Code            | Fee Paid | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|---------------------|----------|--|----------|
| 105                 | 130      | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  | [ ]      |
| 127                 | 50       | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     | [ ]      |
| 139                 | 130      | Non-English specification  | [ ]      |
| 147                 | 2,520    | For filing a request for reexamination                                     | [ ]      |
| 112                 | 920      | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     | [ ]      |
| 113                 | 1,840*   | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        | [ ]      |
| 115                 | 110      | Extension for reply within first month                                     | [ ]      |
| 116                 | 390      | Extension for reply within second month                                    | [ ]      |
| 117                 | 890      | Extension for reply within third month                                     | [ ]      |
| 118                 | 1,390    | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    | [ ]      |
| 128                 | 1,890    | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     | [ ]      |
| 119                 | 310      | Notice of Appeal   | [ ]      |
| 120                 | 310      | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     | [ ]      |
| 121                 | 270      | Request for Oral Hearing   | [ ]      |
| 138                 | 1,510    | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              | [ ]      |
| 140                 | 110      | Petition to revive -unavoidable  | [ ]      |
| 141                 | 1,240    | Petition to revive - unintentional   | [ ]      |
| 142                 | 1,240    | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   | [ ]      |
| 143                 | 440      | Design issue fee   | [ ]      |
| 144                 | 600      | Plant issue fee  | [ ]      |
| 122                 | 130      | Petitions to the Commissioner  | [ ]      |
| 123                 | 50       | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)  | [ ]      |
| 126                 | 180      | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement                             | [ ]      |
| 581                 | 40       | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | [ ]      |
| 146                 | 710      | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))                | [ ]      |
| 149                 | 710      | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))             | [ ]      |
| 179                 | 710      | Request for Continued-Examination (RCE)                                    | [ ]      |
| 169                 | 900      | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  | [ ]      |
| 195                 | 300      | Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication                | [ ]      |
| 196                 | 300      | Publication fee for republication  | [ ]      |
| 089                 | 200      | Filing application for patent term adjustment                              | [ ]      |
| 090                 | 200      | Request for reinstatement of term reduced                                  | [ ]      |
| Other fee (specify) |          |  | [ ]      |

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**SUBTOTAL \$**

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